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City Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

24 Hour Drop Box

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City Newsletter: December 2013

*Happy
Holidays!*

The Mayor, City Council and
employees of the City of
Hickman join together to extend a
Merry Christmas, Holiday
Greetings and Best Wishes to the
citizens of Hickman and the
surrounding area!



City Office Holiday Hours

The City Office will be closed the following days:

Wednesday, December 25th, 2013

Wednesday, January 1st, 2014

Exciting Year in Hickman

The City has continued to grow in population at an incredible rate. It was great seeing so many new and familiar faces at the community events like Hay Day Celebration, the Circus (thank you to the Hickman Area Community Foundation) and Trick-or-Treat-on-the-Trail.

Over the past year the City was able to accomplish:

Multi-paving and asphalt projects, including the Main Street bridge and the northeastern portion of Hickman Road; construction of the mandated UV Light addition to the Waste Water Treatment Plant; issued a total of 153 Building Permits so far, of which includes 44 Single Family Residential Permits; updated Public Works and Parks Department equipment; constructed two new announcer stands (crow's nests) in Main Park; constructed new fence and dugouts on baseball field number two; and through your feedback completed a preliminary design process for the new Community Center/City Hall.

Projects continuing into next year include:

Hickman Vote on funding for new Community Center/City Hall (March 2014); Railroad Quite Zone (2014 Construction); continued infrastructure upgrades; and, construction of a hiking/biking trail along Hickman Road (2016).

Santa's Coming to Town!

Santa will be in town on Monday, December 9th from 5:00-7:00 pm at the Hickman American Legion Hall, 106 Locust Street. Enjoy taking pictures and having cookies and punch!



Sponsored by the American Legion
Post #105 Ladies Auxiliary

Hickman Area Community Foundation Annual Banquet Sunday, January 26th, 2014

American Legion Hall
106 Locust Street
Hickman, Ne

- Advanced tickets: \$30 per person
- 5:30 pm social hour / 6:30 pm dinner, followed by entertainment and live auction
- Tickets can be purchased from any board member: Nancy Noren, Delores Egger, Brian Garton, Lynn Buel, Dale Harlan, Lori Borer, Tom Oerter, Linda Bryant, Dawn Bice, or Steve Noren.

New Main Park Concession Stand/Restroom

Dirt work has begun for the building of a new concession stand/restroom in Hickman's Main Park. The new structure will meet both ADA and flood proofing regulations. To meet these regulations dirt is being located at the site so it can settle over the winter. Building construction will begin in the spring of next year. The City has placed \$30,000 in the budget for the project and additional support will be needed for plumbing, electrical, roofing and concrete work. Stop by Main Park and take a look at the new building site.

WIN A KINDLE FIRE E-READER!

Raffle ticket proceeds will help buy new picture storybooks for the Hickman Area Reading Centre.

Raffle tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Drawing to be held on Dec. 9 at the Legion Hall during Santa Clause's visit to town. (See above)

Stop by the Reading Centre,
103 Locust, in Hickman
on Tuesdays and
Thursdays from 5 - 7p.m. or
Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
or call 402.792.2003
to purchase.



Funny Filler



Why didn't the teddy bear eat his lunch?
(Because he was stuffed!)

How long should a reindeer's legs be?
(Just long enough to reach the ground!)

